

COMMENTS

In response to the restriction requirement imposed by the Examiner in the Office Action mailed on September 29, 2005, the Applicant hereby elects Group 2 as defined by claims 5-62.

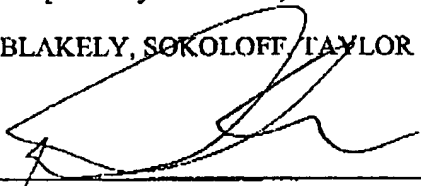
Applicants respectfully submit the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite or assist in the allowance of the present application, the Examiner is invited to call Daniel DeVos at (408) 720-8300.

Authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any charges that may be due.

Respectfully submitted,

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